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1. In March and April 1953, the area of the Bezdez Castle, near Doksy, was declared to be military territory. Warning notices prohibited access to the area for civilians, and Czechoslovak Army soldiers were quartered in the buildings of the castle.

2. [redacted] a broadcasting station was being installed at the Bezdez Castle and in April 1953 aerials were erected on the roofs of the castle which could be clearly observed from the vicinity of the castle.

3. Between May and 16 June 1953, it was learned from inhabitants [redacted] that the reception of Western radio broadcasts, particularly of RFE, which had previously been quite good, was now strongly jammed. It was believed that the station at the Bezdez Castle was jamming the broadcasts.

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